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Applicant : Wolfgang Maus
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Examiner : Hien Thi Tran
Title : Catalytic Exhaust-Gas Purification Device and
Associated Compensating Layer, in Particular
for Motor Vehicles

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Customer No. : 24131

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE

S i r :

In response to the Office action dated February 17, 2004,
please consider the following remarks or arguments:

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